## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

IN RE:	)
GREEN COPPER HOLDINGS, LLC	) CASE NO. 25-10088-T
EIN # xx-xxx9708	Chapter 7
COPPER TREE, INC.	) Substantively Consolidated
EIN # xx-xxx6608	)
	)
Debtors.	)

## TRUSTEE'S OBJECTION TO CLAIM NO. 14 FILED HEREIN BY PICTORIA STUDIOS USA ("PICTORIA") FOR THE SUM OF \$217,975.00, AND NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

Comes now the Trustee and states:

- 1. Claim No. 14 was filed in the Green Copper Holdings, LLC case by Pictoria for the sum of \$217,975.00.
- 2. The basis for Claim No. 14 appears to be a consulting agreement (the "Agreement") allegedly entered into with the Debtor prior to the commencement of these proceedings.
- 3. The Agreement does not represent a legitimate contract between Pictoria and the Debtor.

  The alleged Agreement was a disguised attempt to pay Pictoria for sums allegedly owed by a non-Debtor entity. As a result, any obligations set forth in the Agreement were illusory and the Agreement was void ab initio.
- 4. The Agreement, if any, was terminated under its terms in or about November 2023.
- 5. The Trustee asserts that Pictoria did not substantially perform its obligations and duties under the alleged Agreement. As a result, the Agreement is unenforceable against the Debtor. Hence, Claim No. 14 should be denied pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 502(b)(1).

- 6. In the alternative, the Trustee asserts that at all material times, Pictoria was an insider of the Debtor, and the asserted claim exceeds the reasonable value of services provided to the Debtor. As a result, Claim No. 14 should be disallowed to the extent the amount exceeds the value of any services pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 502(b)(4).
- 7. Claim No. 14 may also purport to assert and recover the value of an equity interest in the Debtor. Such assertion does not constitute a "claim" against the Debtor's estate, and it should be denied on that basis. An equity security interest in the Debtor may ultimately be recognized and allowed only upon presentation of a timely Proof of Interest once all claims are allowed in this case.
- 8. The Trustee intends to seek an order denying Claim No. 14 in its entirety or allowing such Claim in a limited equitable sum under *quantum meruit* principles.

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING - Your rights may be affected. You should read this document carefully and consult your attorney about your rights and the effect of this document. If you do not want the Court to grant the requested relief, or you wish to have your views considered, you must file a written response or objection to the requested relief with the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Oklahoma, 224 South Boulder, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74103 no later than 33 days from the date of filing of this request for relief. You should also serve a file-stamped copy of your response or objection to the undersigned movant/movant's attorney [and others who are required to be served] and file a certificate of service with the Court. If no response or objection is timely filed, the Court may grant the requested relief without a hearing or further notice. The 33-

day period includes the three (3) days allowed for mailing provided for in Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9006(f).

Respectfully Submitted by: /s/ Patrick J. Malloy III

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